



### **Heart beats**

Hospital facilities welcome new cardiac monitors



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At attention Darren Lum Staff

Master Cpl. Sean Chapman, who is a crew commander with the Royal Canadian Dragoons based in Petawawa, shows J. Douglas Hodgson Elementary School students how to salute during the military visit at the school on Thursday, Feb. 9. See more photos on page 28.

# **Accident temporarily closes Highway 118**

Ministry of Environment called in to investigate oil spill

Angelica Blenich Staff reporter It was a messy situation that left crews working for more than 12 straight hours.

On Feb. 10 at approximately 1:15 a.m. a tractor-trailer rolled over on Highway 118, leaving a massive amount of lumber and oil in its wake.

The driver of the truck was taken to Haliburton hospital with non-life-threatening injuries, according to a report from the OPP.

The single-vehicle accident occurred just west of West Guilford, near Stanhope Airport Road.

The highway was closed for many hours to allow crews time to clean up the debris.

"It just went on and on," said Dysart fire chief Miles Maughan, who called the incident one of the most interesting scenes he had ever attended.

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# Shoreline tree preservation branches out

#### **Chad Ingram**

Staff reporter

Members of the county's planning committee did some pruning of its draft shoreline tree preservation bylaw during their meeting on Feb. 8.

The bylaw, which will restrict tree-cutting within 30 metres of the high-water mark on waterfront properties, will eventually be circulated among the county's lowertier townships for feedback and then put to the public for

From a staff perspective, we might suggest you allow a pathway down to the water," said planning director Jane

Councillors agreed that this seemed like a reasonable accommodation.

"There has to be some common sense," said Dysart et al Reeve and county warden Murray Fearrey, adding that people will still need a way to get their boats in the water.

"To me if you have waterfront property and a boat, you have to have access to the lake," said Algonquin Highlands Deputy-reeve Liz Danielsen.

Councillors seem to agree that 15 feet seemed like a reasonable width for such pathways to be capped at.

There was also some discussion about how, precisely, a tree should be defined.

The draft bylaw defined a tree as being a woody, perennial plant capable of reaching a height of 4.5 metres at maturity. It had also included that no trees more than 4.5 feet tall and one inch in diameter be destroyed, a caveat that some councillors took issue with.

"I think one inch is a bit extreme," said Minden Hills Reeve Barb Reid. "That's weeding in my books, not a

Tousaw said some townships allowed diameters of up to six inches in their shoreline tree preservation bylaws.

Highlands East Dave Burton suggested a diameter of four inches, or 10 centimetres, as a compromise.

This seemed agreeable for council members.

Reid said it was important to keep in mind the bylaw was about mitigating the removal of large trees.

Moffatt requested that the measurements contained in the final bylaw be written using the metric system.

"We have generations coming behind us that live in a

metric world," she said.

The county's forestry bylaw will take precedence over the shoreline tree preservation bylaw.

"So we're not hurting our forestry industry with this bylaw," Tousaw said, adding that special forestry practices are employed adjacent to water bodies.

Municipalities are exempt in their operation of shoreline roads

Tousaw said the draft bylaw would be taken to the lower tiers for feedback from councillors there, then come back to committee, then made available for public input, likely

The new planning committee consists of all eight members of county council and is chaired by Reid.

# Clarification

Last week's West Guilford news should have extended congratulations to Tristen Cook and Davis Reynolds on the birth of their new baby boy, Brantley Boone.

Proud first-time grandparents are Allan and Heidi Cook and Louis and Lori Reynolds.

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# People coming together to help people

A grand total of \$4,850 was raised on Jan. 28 in support of local resident Sarah Carlin.

McKecks hosted a "Puttin on the Ritz" fundraiser for Carlin, who has Multiple Sclerosis.

The sold out event included live music, a silent auction and a DJ.

Thanks to the generosity of the community, Carlin now has enough money to receive surgery in New York for her MS.

"I really am speechless - gratitude doesn't quite cover it - to feel so much support from community, friends, and my Patient News Publishing family is ... well, I'll remember it forever and I'm trying hard to honour it by paying it forward wherever I go," Carlin wrote in an email to the paper.

Any surplus from the fundraiser will be going towards the MS Society of Canada, said Carlin in her email.

Carlin will be accompanied to the surgery by her sister, who attended the fundraiser.



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More than \$4,800 was raised at McKeck's on Jan. 28 to help Sarah Carlin, right, pay for surgery to treat MS. Carlin will be accompanied to New York for her surgery by her sister, left. /Photo submitted

# Items stolen from vehicle on Dyno Road

On Saturday, Feb. 4, Bancroft OPP received report of a vehicle that had been damaged on Dyno Road, in the municipality of Highlands East. Sometime overnight the vehicle was broken into. A number of items were stolen from the vehicle, including CDs and paperwork.

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# News

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# Rollover has crews working for hours to clean up debris

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Maughan said by the time 12 firefighters from the Dysart department arrived, the driver was in the ambulance, about to be taken away by EMS.

"We got there around 1:30 a.m. and I didn't leave until 10 a.m.," he said.

The fire chief was unsure of the driver's identity, but doesn't believe it was a local resident.

Along with the lumber that was left all over the highway, the truck also spilled a considerable amount of diesel fuel, said Maughan.

"When I got there, I had to man the oil before it got into the river," said the fire chief.

As a result of the spill the Ministry of Environment was called in to investigate and were on site, taking care of the cleanup by the time Maughan left the scene.

The spill occurred near a river that flows into Grass Lake, located in West Guilford.

The closure of the highway meant OPP had to reroute traffic through Stanhope Airport Road, Kennisis Lake Road and Green Lake Road.

Emergency crews were able to have the highway reopened by the next day.

Realizing the severity of the accident, Maughan began calling local radio stations Canoe FM and Moose FM at 6 a.m. to get the news about the road closure out to the com-

"I didn't want people to have to make a big detour on their way to work," he said.

The news quickly made its way through town thanks to social media.



A tractor-trailer rollover on Highway 118 on Feb. 10 had firefighters working through the night to clean-up lumber that was splayed across the road.

The accident occured at 1:15 a.m. according to OPP reports and the road was closed until around noon. The driver was taken to Haliburton hospital with non-life-threatening injuries. /Photos submitted



Left, the accident occured on Highway 118 just west of West Guilford.

Right, emergency crews were still at work later in the morning to clean up the scene of the accident. Traffic was rerouted through Stanhope Airport Road and Grass Lake Road.





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# Trail users want compatible solution

Community planner Kate Hall presents the findings of her Rail Trail survey to county economic development committee

#### **Chad Ingram**

Staff reporter

More than 80 per cent of respondents to a survey on the Haliburton County Rail Trail believe that motorized and non-motorized users can find a creative solution for shared use of the corridor.

Community planner Kate Hall shared the results of an extensive public consultation process she's conducted during the past several months with councillors on the county's economic development committee at a Feb. 8 meet-

More than 1,300 people filled out surveys, with 25 per cent of respondents coming from Minden Hills; 18 per cent from Dysart et al; 15 per cent from Algonquin Highlands; and 11 per cent from Highlands East.

Another 31 per cent of responses came from people who live outside the county.

About 80 per cent of respondents were male; 20 per cent female.

The survey revealed that the No. 1 use of the trail by permanent residents and adjacent landowners is walking.

For seasonal residents, the No. 1 activity is ATVing.

However, the study also showed that most people who use the trail use it more than one capacity.

For example, 28 per cent of the people who ATV on the trail also use it for walking; 21 per cent use it for nature appreciation purposes; and 18 per cent also cycle on it.

Of those who use the trail primarily for cycling, 36 per cent also use it for ATVing and 31 per cent for snowmobil-

'Clearly, people are using the trail in a number of ways," Hall said. "If you're a walker, you're not just a walker."

The study showed an overall 83 per cent agreement for ATVs on the trail, although that figure dropped to 62 per cent for permanent residents and 65 per cent for adjacent landowners

There were 222 respondents who use the trail for nonmotorized purposes only.

"Those are the purists, as it were," Hall said.

Of those respondents, 39 per cent felt a shared-use solution could be reached, while 34 felt motorized and nonmotorized uses are incompatible.

While many respondents said they'd like to see a userpay or permit system on the trail, many also responded that they would not be willing to get personally involved with enforcement or assisting in educational training.

Those questions were put in there deliberately to prove a point," said Algonquin Highlands Reeve Carol Moffatt, who's served as the council liaison on Hall's steering committee, stressing that people want something done, but they want the county to do it.

Forty-four per cent of county residents who responded were amenable to a slight tax increase to support more signage, patrols, surface treatment and so on, although county Warden Murray Fearrey expressed concern about just what "slight" meant.

A quarter of respondents had read the county's existing Rail Trail Master Plan.

Hall's process has included a number of public workshops, which identified barriers to trail use and solutions to those barriers.

Her findings were presented at a final public workshop on Feb. 9 at the Minden Hills Community Centre.

Moffatt suggested councillors might attend to show support for the process.

'There has been some criticism that county councillors have not been involved in this process," she said, acknowledging that attendance by politicians would likely garner criticism they were trying to steer things.

Minden Hills Reeve Barb Reid said councillors had been advised to and intentionally kept a distance from proceed-

"It was a conscious decision to stay out of the process," Reid said. "Even if you're just there, you constrain the process. I'm very satisfied that county council has been fully engaged in this process."

The workshop will allow citizens to comment on a handful of Ooptions Hall and her steering committee have developed based on responses.

A final report is expected to come back to politicians in

To view Hall's findings, visit the county website at www. haliburtoncounty.ca, click on "County Government," then "Electronic Agenda," then "County of Haliburton."

Choose "Published Agendas" and then find the economic development committee meeting for Feb. 8.

Hall wrote to the paper, summarizing what happened at last week's final workshop and explaining the next steps in

"Âbout 50 people participated in the final workshop in the community engagement process for the Haliburton County Rail Trail that was held at the Minden Community Centre on Thursday, Feb. 9.

"The workshopbegan with a presentation of the findings from the survey that was conducted last November, then invited participants to flesh out four options that came out of a previous workshop, which focused on brainstorming for solutions to deal with issues of safety, enforcement and conflicting visions for the use of the trail. Solutions included closing a section of the trail to motorized uses, exploring

opportunities to separate uses at various points along the trail, creating 'community zones' near populated areas and separating motorized and non-motorized uses by time of day. Participants were asked to indicate their support for each option by writing a number from one to 10 on a card and organizing themselves in numerical order in a line in front of each option. There was some great discussion in the room between people that represented a diversity of interests. The final piece of the engagement strategy will be the release of a second online survey on Monday, Feb. 13 to collect responses from the broader public about the same four options talked about at the workshop. A link to the survey will be posted on the Rail Trail page of the county's website.

"All information collected through the community engagement process will be brought forth in a report to the economic eevelopment committee in March for consideration."





# New machines keep hearts beating at hospitals

**Angelica Blenich** 

Staff reporter

They might be considered the most important machines in the building.

Five new cardiac monitor defibrillators were recently purchased by the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation at a cost of \$95,000.

Although they come with a high price tag, the machines are well worth the money, as they are what keep pulses going.

"These machines can monitor your heart, shock your heart and pace your heart," said Debbie Watson, chief nursing officer and manager of patient care at HHHS.

Primarily used on patients with cardiac illnesses, the monitors can read a person's vital signs and are transferable, meaning they can be easily used in an ambulance.

Introduced to HHHS this week, the monitors will help staff streamline equipment already within the hospitals.

Three of the machines will be located at the Haliburton facility and two at the Minden hospital, said Watson.

Funds used to purchase the equipment were raised through the Holiday from the Heart campaign, organized by the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation last Christmas.

"I want to thank our foundation and the

community and extend a huge appreciation for all that they do. The real heart comes from all the people who raise money," said Watson.

It's no coincidence that funds for the monitors were raised through a heart-themed campaign.

"When you see the amount of money raised in a small community, it's unbelievable," said Jim Mitchell, an HHHSF board member.

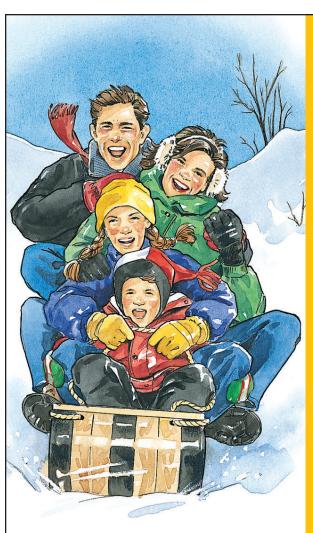
Below, Five new cardiac monitor defibrillators were purchased for the Haliburton Highlands Health Services and will integrated into the facilities this week. At a cost of \$95,000, the machines were fundraised for by the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation





**Angelica Blenich Staff** 

Paul Mitchell tries out one of HHHS's new heart monitors with some help from Debbie Watson, left, Mary Hamilton, Jim Mitchell, Dale Walker and Peter Oyler.



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# The love bug

**Angelica Blenich** 

Reporter

OVE IS IN the air. Or so the saying goes. Today we find ourselves on that day, the day that greeting card companies tell us we should rush out and buy flowers, chocolates and heartshaped paraphernalia to shower our loved ones with, in an attempt to show our true affections.

That single day when saying "I love you" is as easy as saying, "hello or goodbye.'

These days residents are finding many things to love in Haliburton.

Much love is being shown for a proposed condo development being pitched by those who brought, or should I say, those who are bringing us Granite

According to developers, the idea to branch out to a second condominium, which council approved last week, came out of a positive community reaction to the first.

Creativity and love were abundant at Fleming College last week, where a simple card-making session showed us commercialism and Valentine's Day don't have to go hand in hand and that homemade gifts are often still the best ones to receive.

Students at JDH Elementary School tied the holiday into a fundraising initiative, organizing a Valentine's dance, with proceeds going towards an ongoing effort to build a school in Ecuador.

To these children the concept of

love is measured in the desire to make the world a better place for others and show that they care.

Affection can certainly be felt in the story of the Freemans, who are celebrating 60 years of marriage this year and are still every bit in love.

Or in the heartfelt tribute to the late Harvey Clarke, who Ethel, his wife of 62 years and the mother of his children, will always remember as the true love of her life.

And let's not forget one of the most integral components of love.

Regardless of who you are, whether you're male,

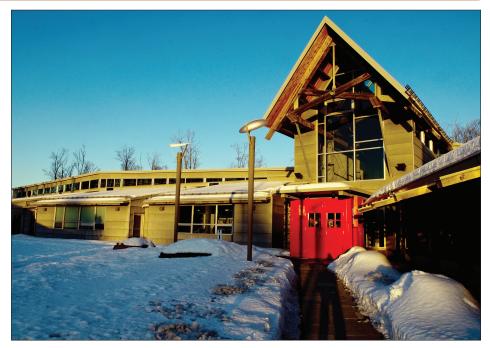
female, age 28 or 82, love cannot be felt without one major element, your

The single most important organ in your body, the heart beats an average of 60 times a minute.

To prevent your heart from skipping a beat, Haliburton Highlands Health Services introduced five new heartmonitoring machines between the two hospital facilities this week.

At a cost of \$95,000, these machines were fundraised for through a local campaign spearheaded by volunteers and made successful through generous donations.

The efforts of the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation and the community are just another example that this town has a heart, and a big one at that.



Fleming sunset

photo by Darren Lum

# **Chocolate love**

THERE IS A little red leather, heartshaped box that sits on the kitchen table in our home. We get it out every Valentine's season and it

is filled with little homemade heart-shaped cards that we've collected over the years.

I have an 11-year-old daughter and she loves Valentine's Day. She loves the red cinnamon heart candies, the little cards that get exchanged with the little matching envelopes that were bought at V&S, the family dinner we have, etc. For me, I love the chocolate.

Valentine's season is all about the chocolate. My friends and family will attest to the fact that I eat chocolate almost every day. Valentine's Day is about love and sometimes I think I love chocolate as much as I love my husband, daughter and friends. I love all chocolate: milk, dark, raw, in a box, on a stick, in a drink and even in my chili. I love the endless varieties of chocolate. Some of the best experiences in

my life have included chocolate. My friends and I have gone on many beautiful skiing, canoeing, hiking and biking adventures and we always say that we go to beautiful places to eat good food. Chocolate is always top on the list. I think that I am a better person when I eat chocolate. I know that I am happier and I do think I have more energy.

I've recently been learning a lot about raw chocolate and making sugar free raw chocolate treats and they just make my day. So my Valentine's gift to you is to share this yummy recipe that I got from Insyia Rasiwalla Finn. These treats are full of rich antioxidants like walnuts, lemon zest (which is very uplifting), dates, raw cocoa powder, cocoa nibs and

coconut and they are easy to

Sometimes I add cinnamon and dried powdered ginger to them, sometimes cardamom, sometimes a hint of chipotle chili pepper to speed up your metabolism and add some heat. It all depends!



Lynda Shadbolt Tales from The Great Green Meadow

#### **Bliss balls**

cup raw organic walnuts (or almonds or cashews) 1/2 cup shredded organic coconut

1/4 cup raw organic coconut oil (softened)

Handful of cocoa nibs 1/2 cup dutch processed cocoa powder Zest from one organic lemon Juice from one organic lemon Healthy pinch of sea salt Handful of soft dates de-seeded Spices to taste

Method: Coarsely chop dates, add everything into a food processor, process until the mixture gets thick and clumpy. I like it a bit granular, not too smooth, so a few minutes is usually about all I need. Taste for sweetness and spice or flavour.

Adjust accordingly and pulse a few more times if you need to. Then empty the mixture out into a bowl or large rimmed plate. Form into little balls in your palms and roll in a plate of shredded coconut. Place on a platter or in a box within layers of parchment paper and chill. And do try to restrain yourself from eating them all at once!



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# **Answering the** big questions

EEP DOWN INSIDE, I knew the day would come. And yet much like mowing the lawn, tax time or an Oprah comeback - I still feared it.

"I think he suspects," I said to Jenn. That was a couple of days ago. "Who suspects what?" she answered nervously.

"Mumbles," I whispered, as I pointed to our kitten. "I think he has

finally figured out that he was adopted."

Steve Galea **Loon Tales** 

"What?" she replied in apparent dis-

I waited until our little guy had made his way over to the scratching post.

"I'm pretty sure he's figured out that we're not his biological parents," I continued.

"He's a cat!" she noted.

"Yes, he is," I muttered, "and a darn smart one too - which is why I think he's figured it out."

"I strongly doubt that," she said, rolling her eyes.

As hard as it was to comprehend, Jenn was in denial. "It'll be OK," I said. "We'll get through this and we'll all be stronger for it."

Unable to handle the thought, she quickly left the room.

Of course, it was only natural for Mumbles to wonder. Though he and I shared several distinguishing traits - incredible cuteness, an abundance of body hair, a passion for belly rubs and a fascination with fish to name a few - there were also several obvious differences. The tail, retractable claws and the way we chose to bathe, immediately come to mind.

Unless I was reading the situation completely wrong, Mumbles had picked up on these things too.

So, just as any good parent would do, I began to formulate a plan to do the right thing for him.

"I'll go so far as to put him in touch with the people at the pet store," I said. "After that, I'll drive him to whatever old barn he needs to visit. And, I'll be there for him, when he comes back."

"Huh? Are you still going on about Mumbles?" Jenn, who was now firmly entrenched in denial, asked.

"Look," I blurted out, "just because we aren't his biological parents doesn't mean we're not his family."

"Mumbles is a cat!" she said. "He's a cat!"

"You didn't tell him, did you?" I asked. Hiding her obvious distress, she left the room once again. But not before saying, "You need a hobby."

Why are you acting so odd?" I yelled. "Why can't you just face

The next day it happened. Mumbles and I were sitting in the front window watching birds, when suddenly he looked at me and meowed just a little differently.

And, just like that, there were questions to answer.

Luckily, I had prepared a speech for just such an occasion.

'Mumbles," I began, "you might have noticed that you are a bit different from the rest of us, especially your mother. Well, the fact of the matter is you were adopted..."

I paused for dramatic effect, but also to watch the way he reacted. But, unless almost coughing up a hair ball counts, Mumbles hardly reacted at all.

Apparently, he was good with it and, despite his species, wasn't the least bit curious. Later, at dinner, I broke the good news to Jenn. Elated beyond belief, she replied by saying, "Pass the salt."

When dinner was done, she reminded me that it was time to walk the dogs. To which I responded, "Have you seen the way they've been looking at us lately?"



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#### letters to the editor

# **Northern woods** growing again

#### To the Editor,

According to the 2011 Census, just released by Statistics Canada, Haliburton County's population grew from 16,147 in 2006 to 17,026 in 2011, a .54 per cent increase. Ontario grew by 5.7 per cent; Canada by 5.9

The number of dwellings in Haliburton County grew from 21,257 in 2006 to 21,365 in 2011, a .05 per cent increase. Ontario's dwellings grew by 6.8 per cent; Canada's by 7.1 per cent.

Haliburton County is in the heart of "cottage country," so the larger number of dwellings than permanent population reflects seasonal dwellings, I believe.

This is good news. We had a population drop from 1996 to 2001 of 236 and this indicates that our spot in the northern woods is growing again.

> Michael Fav Minden

# Are non users supporting users?

#### To the Editor,

In response to Kirk Creelman's letter to the editor Feb. 7, I would like to add some thoughts.

Lakeside Baptist Church will be receiving a grant, I understand from your letter, to construct an elevator to be used by those individuals unable to walk up steps.

Will this elevator be used by non-Christians at weddings, funerals etc.?

The question remains, however, as implied by your letter is why are non users supporting users? There are lots of examples in our society where this

Our government builds hospitals, schools, arenas,

libraries and highways. They even subsidize homes. Not everyone uses these services.

I have even heard (around the water cooler) about people receiving government money to build air-

People who live in glass houses shouldn't throw

**Dale McConnell** West Guilford

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# Pinestone Resort welcomes new manager

**Angelica Blenich** 

Staff reporter

Mario Chavez was born in Mexico, but that doesn't mean he's a stranger to snow.

The newest member to the Pinestone family, Chavez became the resort's manager on Jan. 30, stepping into the new role

"When I got here they already had business cards made up for me," he said.

Born in Mexico, Chavez, 49, moved to the United States at the age of 16 to attend school in Milwaukee, giving him lots of experience with snow and winter.

With the hope of studying communications, the language barrier soon became a stumbling block, eventually leading Chavez to study hotel management instead.

The change in direction was one the new manager never regretted, as he has spent more than 20 years working at resorts around the world.

"I like being in hospitality, I went on a vacation to a beautiful resort and said this is it.

Following his graduation from the University of Wisconsin Milwaukee, Chavez began working for the Club Med chain of resorts as the manager of public relations.

"I was the face of the resort," said Chavez, who moved around to different resorts within the chain.

Chavez met his wife Angie, a travel agent, in Mexico and moved to Canada, where she is from. The couple has a 13 year-old

Prior to starting his new position at Pinestone, Chavez was the director of a large resort in the Dominican Republic.

"It had 100 rooms, two golf courses, a casino and spa," he said.

Although different in scope and size to places he has previously worked, Chavez believes the opportunities at Pinestone are

"This is a beautiful resort. Everywhere I turn I see an opportunity."

He believes the key to success is in creating a strong team and by working hard.

"I'm part of the team, I'm just driving the bus. Everybody is behind me, I'm just finding the path."

Chavez is also a firm believer in cooperation and working with the community.

"We have to make sure everyone is involved. Customer service is the best way to attract people."

Those in and outside of the area can expect a lot of changes in the near future, including the possibility of a full-time tour operator on staff, specializing in promoting local tours and events.

This person will be there to have all the ideas and knowledge about what the area offers. We want to be able to provide information," he said.



Mario Chavez took over as the new general manager of Pinestone Resort and Conference Centre on Jan.

Born in Mexico, Chavez has more than 20 years experience working in resorts and hotels.

**Angelica Blenich Staff** 

Chavez will be living at the resort fulltime, putting all of his effort and commitment into the destination spot.

"We're trying to open the doors to the community. Pinestone is not an exclusive resort, it's a place that's open for every-

With summer just a few months away the manager is looking forward to operating a busy resort full of learning potential.

"If there were no challenges it would be

# County still thinking about hosting Youth Games

**Chad Ingram** 

Staff reporter

The county continues to look into hosting the 2014 Ontario Youth Summer Games.

The idea was first discussed by the county's economic development committee during its January meeting and a letter of intent from county warden Murray Fearrey has been sent to organizers.

The county would need to send a bid submission by May 10 and at Wednesday's meeting, councillors discussed hiring consultant Dennis Casey to compose the bid for the county.

Casey, a Dysart et al councillor, conducted this process for the county before in a previous hosting attempt.

According to economic development director Bob Smith, Casey's fee would be

Algonquin Highlands Reeve Carol Moffatt wondered if a tender needed to be put out for the work in accordance with the county's purchasing policy, but chief administrative officer Jim Wilson confirmed the county could sole-source the work to Casey since it has used him for similar research in

The composing of the bid requires a lot of footwork, including the acquisition of venues for 32 events; the county must have venues for all potential sporting events, even if they don't end up being held.

"It's a huge job," Fearrey said.

Minden Hills Reeve Barb Reid seemed unsure if hosting the games was the best thing for the county.

Reid, who said she didn't know enough about what communities had held the event in the past and what the economic impacts had been, wondered what kind of financial commitment would be required of the county.

Bob Smith said the county would be required to set aside \$200,000, as it was required to do for the 2011 Winterfest Sen-

Treasurer Laura Janke was quick to point out that, while that money had to be set aside in case of shortfall, it was not used for Winterfest.

"It didn't end up costing us anything," Janke said.

Moffatt said hosting the event would mean the dedication of staff hours.

There has to be a core team that will drive an event like this," she said.

Fearrey said the county may be able to look to HCDC for some money through its local initiatives stream and said going through the process would allow the county's townships to see whether their sporting facilities are up to snuff.

"I don't want to throw it under the bus just yet," Fearrey said.

Councillors requested a formal proposal from Casey.





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# Haliburton remembers a vibrant voice

#### **Angelica Blenich**

Staff reporter

It was almost fitting the news was delivered by Martha

When Harvey Clarke passed away at the Haliburton hospital on Sunday, Feb. 5 the former editor of the Haliburton County Echo and Minden Times was one of the first to receive an email announcing the passing.

Sent by Harvey's daughter, Janet, the news was sad. Perkins wrote in an email to the *Echo* staff.

Harvey, 82, was a vibrant voice in Haliburton County, with a long-running column in the Echo called The View from Here.

Born in London, Harvey moved to Toronto as a young man and it was there where he met Ethel, who would become his wife of 62 years.

A switchboard operator at Northen Electric (later Northern Telecom), Ethel, 84, would answer Harvey's calls when he would call the company looking for his friend.

"He used to get a ride from Toronto to London with a friend and he used to call to talk with his friend, who worked there," said Ethel.

The two would make small talk on the phone and it wasn't long before Harvey asked Ethel out on a date.

"We went to the Royal Alexander in Toronto to see a play," said Ethel, the name of the play now escaping her

Five months later the two were married on April 15,

"Everybody said it would never last," she said.

Last it did and during the first six years of marriage Harvey and Ethel became parents to five kids: Kevin, Janet, Gregory, Murray (Mic) and Sharon.

The Clarkes raised their children in Toronto, minus a brief stint living in London, before Harvey and Ethel decided to move out of the big city.

"I wanted property, so we started looking at property,"



### It's amazing how many people in town recognized him from his column up until the day he died.

— Ethel Clarke

Harvey Clarke was a long-standing presence in the Highlands with his column, The View from Here, which ran in the Haliburton Echo from 1985-1994.

Clarke passed away at the Haliburton hospital on Feb. 5 at the age of 82.

drew him into a long-lasting career with music, radio, television and eventually newspapers.

Harvey was one of the founding members of Capitol Records Canada, which later became EMI.

Following his pivotal role at the helm of Capitol Records Harvey made his way into the world of radio, working at stations across the province, including Kitchener and Bar-

His writing career included working for the Toronto Star, CTV news and eventually the Haliburton Echo.

The idea for the column came from former Haliburton Echo publisher Len Pizzey, who suggested Harvey write a column about topics that could be wide open.

The only provision was that he stick with it for at least a

His column ran in the community paper from 1985 until 1994 and was filled with anecdotal stories about his family, his career and life in Donald.

"It's amazing how many people in town recognized him from his column up until the day he died," said Ethel.

One column included Harvey's plan to introduce skateboards to Canada in the 1960s, another had to do with the need for a holiday in February.

One of Harvey's most significant moments came in 1971, when he became involved in the Amchitka protest, working for CKEY radio at the time.

The radio station encouraged concerned Canadians to add their name to a telegram, opposing the nuclear testing that was taking place on the island of Amchitka.

"When I was in Grade 6 my siblings and I collected a nickel from everyone in the school to go towards the longest telegram," said Murray.

The telegram was eventually brought to the White House by Pierre Berton and Charles Templeton and included 179,000 names on paper that reached close to 5,000 feet, making it the longest telegram in history at that time.

"That was a pretty big accomplishment for him," said

Harvey enjoyed his work and travelling, but was a family man first and foremost.

During the past few months Harvey was in and out of hospital, with his most recent stint lasting less than 24

"He lasted all night and then the doctor phoned me at seven in the morning and said he was going down rapidly. Before I could get dressed he called again and said he's going down very quickly, you might not make it," said Ethel, who arrived at the hospital two minutes after Harvey passed away.

Tears well up in her eyes as she tells the story of her husband's last few hours. Asked if she will miss Harvey, Ethel replies with "that's a stupid question."

Harvey requested a funeral not be held for him, preferring a family gathering.

So on Feb. 11 the entire Clarke clan made their way to Donald to pay their final respects to the man they loved so

With Harvey's departure, Haliburton County has lost a compelling and intellectual voice, one that may never be replaced.

He will be sorely missed and one can only hope that wherever he might be now, he is thoroughly enjoying the



**Ethel Clarke smiles fondly** at a picture of Harvey taken when he was just two years

Ethel was married to Harvey for 62 years and they had five children.

The couple lived in Donald for close to 30 years.

Angelica Blenich Staff

The couple looked at places in Dorset and Pontypool before deciding Donald was where they wanted to be.

'We stopped in Minden and Dad stopped in a real estate office and saw the listing for this place," said Murray.

They bought the property in the early 1970s and came up seasonally with a trailer, before moving up full-time in

"I loved it up here," said Ethel.

Over the years Harvey and Ethel welcomed eight grandchildren into their lives.

They built the house she still lives in and soon made the Highlands their home, running a collectibles store for six

Harvey began his working career as an advertising man, working at an agency in Toronto.

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# Students get creative at Fleming College for Valentine's Day



**Darren Lum Staff** 

A small collection of what was created at the end of the Fleming College Valentines event, held in the Great Hall at the Haliburton campus on Thursday, Feb. 9. Several students were provided materials, equipment and space through the funds from the student association. Other events in the year include yoga, a Sir Sam's Ski day and bowling. Wendy Ladurantaye provided her craft tools and support for the event that included card and button making.

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Kara Rutherford, right, of Fleming College (Haliburton campus) laughs with a student.



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# Haliburton Forest shows its best hand with 23rd poker run

#### **Darren Lum**

Staff reporter

Everyone is a winner with the upcoming 23rd annual Snowmobile Poker Run.

Hosted by the Haliburton Forest and Wild Life Reserve Ltd., the charity event is the result of a strong relationship between the Haliburton Firefighters Association and the hosts

In the past several years the event, which is scheduled from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. this Saturday, Feb. 18, has made the 26-member Haliburton Fire Fighters Association the beneficiary. The association has used the money to purchase firefighting and rescue equipment for Dysart et al.

"Why this one is important it's one, a large amount of money and we purchase equipment above and beyond the regular stuff," Dysart deputy fire chief Don Stephenson

Last year, the department received a snowbulance - a fully enclosed snowmobile trailer to be used for remote access patients, including circumstances when roads become impassable for road vehicles. It has room enough for a patient and one to two attendants. Stephenson said if the department isn't the first one in Ontario, it is among the first to use the snowbulance.

Since the event has been raising money for the association it has enabled the department to receive a rescue boat and a rescue toboggan.

None of these things could have been purchased if it wasn't for this beneficial relationship of all involved, as the department regularly helps the forest, Stephenson said.

The association, he said, regards this and the beef and the bun concession during the annual Midnight Madness as the biggest fundraisers for the year.

This event has raised more than \$150,000 for local charities since it started.

Forest outdoors education coordinator Tegan Legge is

excited for this year's event.

"I think it is a great honour to be able to do that. I know that everybody shares the same sentiment," Legge said. "It's a great day for us. It's a really fun day. Everybody comes into work that day and its nice to be able to do something for the firefighters because we also use their services as well."

Participants will ride the forest trails from shelter cabin to shelter cabin, collecting tokens along the way. Refreshments (possibly pancakes) will be available at each cabin. Before 5 p.m. participants are expected to finish and turn in their tokens in exchange for the draw of a poker hand.

This year's grand prize is a brand new 2011 Skidoo MX-Z (with 600 four-stroke engine).

The fee for the event is \$50 per person and includes a day pass to the Haliburton Forest snowmobile trails.





#### Have a heart

**Darren Lum Staff** 

J.Douglas Hodgson Elementary School Grade 8 students, who are part of the SpeakUp team, Kristen Adams, left, Emilie McGill, Amy Black and Brooke Stevenson stand with the dedication hearts on the Valentine's board for those that attended the Valentine's Dance at the school on Friday, Feb. 10. The spirit event was also a fundraiser for the initiative to raise money for the school in Ecuador, which also received \$112 from Valentine's candy-gram sales. The school has raised \$3,500 of the \$8,500 total.



# County contemplates conducting tourism town hall meeting

#### **Chad Ingram**

Staff reporter

The county will be reaching out to its tourism stakeholders as it reshapes its economic development and tourism

The idea of hosting a tourism town hall meeting was discussed by councillors on the county's economic development committee at their Feb. 8 meeting.

"Some people are skeptical about what the county will or will not do," said Algonquin Highlands Reeve and committee chairwoman Carol Moffatt, who said she wants an informed canvassing of stakeholders as the county reshapes the department.

The county is shedding its economic development responsibilities to its lower tiers to focus more on tourism.

Department director Bob Smith is set to retire this spring and, as a result, some \$80,000 was removed from the department's budget for 2012.

It is unclear whether the county will be replacing Smith. The county hosted a tourism town hall in the spring of 2010, which drew some 100 business leaders to discuss

Councillors discussed whether holding another such event would be appropriate.

Consultant Jim Blake conducted the last event and it would cost the county \$1,000 to have Blake facilitate the day, or up to \$4,500 for facilitation and the completion of analysis and a thorough report.

Minden Hills Reeve Barb Reid suggested it might be a good idea to take the findings from the last town hall meeting and put them out to stakeholders to see if they still rung true, perhaps avoiding the expense of hosting another one. 'Hopefully they'll be engaged and say, 'yay,' or 'nay,"' Mof-

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# New building gets council's blessing

#### **Angelica Blenich**

Staff reporter

The following are brief reports of items discussed at the Feb. 6 meeting of Dysart et al council.

The municipality of Dysart has given the thumbs up to a proposed condominium development planned for the corner of Mountain Street and Lake Avenue.

Developer Doug Gray was in council chambers on Feb. 6 for a delegation regarding an application to amend the zoning bylaw on the proposed property.

The property has been purchased and the deal has closed, said Gray.

Since the sale, developers have spoken to neighbours in the vicinity of the site and have been met with "no major objections," according to Gray.

If constructed, Granite View will be three storeys tall and include 24 units of various sizes.

Amending the bylaw would change the current classification of the lot from a Residential Type 1 to a Residential Type 3, to accommodate the condominium.

Council approved the change.

The decision to build the condo came from the positive response to Granite Cove, a development currently being built along Head Lake, said Gray.

Gray informed council that construction on Granite Cove was moving along nicely and that developers had been receiving positive feedback from future residents.

Units in Granite View will be sold for less than those in Granite Cove, with prices in the range of \$250,000, said

"There seems to be a lot of people who wanted this type of living, however the price point [for Granite Cove] was a little high," Gray told council.

The lower price point on units in Granite View was the

result of the cost of land, as well as other characteristics of the new building, such as a non-heated garage.

Once the zoning amendment was approved the project would move ahead quickly, said Gray.

'We wouldn't bring it to this point if we weren't sure it would be successful," he said.

"I think everyone is ecstatic," said Dysart Reeve Murray Fearrey.

Granite View will be similar in design to its sister property, constructed using insulating concrete form (ICF).

As a result the building is more energy-efficient and economical, said Gray.

Units will range from ones that include two bedrooms and two bathrooms, to one bedroom and one bathroom.

The majority of interest thus far has come from those already living within Haliburton County, said Gray.

"We're very pleased people looking to move in are from Haliburton," he said, adding that developers would be doing limited marketing outside of the county.

According to a staff report prepared by municipal planner Pat Martin, the project conforms to provincial policy and to Dysart's official plan, subject to the required background reports.

A public meeting to discuss the project will be held on March 5 at 5 p.m. in council chambers.

#### **Abbey Gardens hopes to** develop sustainable community

It may soon be more than a garden.

An application to amend the zoning bylaw on the property where Abbey Gardens is located would mean turning the land into a potential sustainable community.

The land, located on Highway 118 and Freedom Fifty-Five Drive, is leased by Abbey Gardens, which hopes to turn it into an area focused on local food production, arts,



**Darren Lum** Staff

The future of Abbey Gardens, located on highway 118, could include a sustainable community that includes a retail store and community garden.

Council approved an amendment to the zoning bylaw at their council meeting on Feb. 6, allowing the project to move

culture and heritage initiatives, with a focus on renewable energy and tourism opportunities.

The land is currently classified as Rural Residential 1, with the application requesting it be changed to Highway

According to a staff report prepared by municipal planner Pat Martin, the applicant has requested permitted uses of the property include an agriculture, heritage and resource education centre, a business office, a restaurant and a retail store.

The land currently includes a sustainable garden and a gravel nit.

According to Martin's report the proposal is consistent with provincial policy, subject to comments from the Ministry of Transportation and conforms to Dysart's offi-

Council approved the amendment.

#### Car wash proposal moves forward

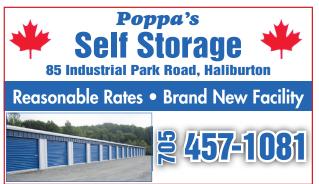
Haliburton cars could have an extra shine to them as council approved a zoning amendment to allow the construction of a car wash.

The proposed property is located on the corner of Industrial Park road and Mallard Road, in Haliburton Vil-

Currently zoned Rural Type 1 and Environmental Protection, the applicants are requesting the classification be changed to Highway Commercial and Environmental Protection.

The owner of the property has requested permitted uses of the property include a car wash, business office, retail store, open storage and self-service building. Council approved the amendment.





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# Respect for the one you love goes a long way

**Darren Lum** 

Staff reporter

She gently touches the black and white photo of her husband, Don, showing him as the bespectacled 26-year-old man from the year they were married.

She smiles and says, "This is the man I fell in love with."

When you've been together as long as the Freeman's love is not really that mysterious, as it's apparent the secret to a successful relationship is quite simple. It's practically written across their faces with their bright eyes and smiles, as they look at each other between questions, showing the love that resulted in a lifetime of memories, including two children, Gary and Nancy.

More than 59 years after they were married, Molly and Don Freeman speak with a lightness and enthusiasm comparable to newlyweds, as they recount the laughter and experiences including the first time they set eyes on each other.

Close to 70 years ago, the pair worked for Acme Farmers Dairy. He was a driver and she worked as the receptionist (eventually working in the accounts department)

Through a friend and co-worker, Don was told about a beautiful secretary that he should see.

During a delivery Don, who was skepti-

cal of his friend's raving reviews, saw the 17-year-old Molly and was immediately struck. When asked how he knew Molly was the one he answers, matter-of-factly, 'Well, she tripped me," he said, laughing, about how he fell for her. "Whenever I left she was always standing out at the window, waving at me when I was going back to Belleville," he says.

Molly and Don remember how their respective bosses provided some assistance in bringing them closer, making sure they sat together during lunch.

They would take us to a restaurant and sit in a [booth] where there was room for four, but they'd sit by the aisle and not let us in so we had to get a seat by ourselves," he says.

For all the lunches they shared, Don remembers the flirting the most, referring to how they played "kneesies" with each other under the table.

Listen to them both and there isn't a lot that needs to be said about choosing a life partner.

'We seemed to click and get along," he says, adding she was a very beautiful and independent woman, which he supported ever since they met.

Don laughs and offers the advice of "minding your own business and keeping your mouth shut." Two things he recommends for young men.

He points out that he supported his wife in everything she did and desired to



**Darren Lum** Staff

Molly Freeman, left, and husband Don will be married for 60 years in September and have the memories to show for them all. They still smile and look at each other like newlyweds. If love is the fountain of youth, this couple is proof of that sentiment.

Molly worked before and during the marriage, even working now at the local

funeral home. Her independence has always been respected.

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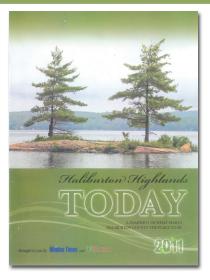


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# A legacy of love and strength will endure

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Molly Freeman, left, and husband Don, show their secret to a long-lasting relationship in their smiles with this photo taken in Toronto during the spring of 1953. /Photo submitted

They have shared a mutual respect and this practice has served them well.

Another part of the secret to a long relationship, Molly said, in all the years neither has gone to bed angry.

"We discuss things. I have my opinion. He has his opinion," she said. "I can say what I want, but we never go to bed mad at one another."

Molly said she thought he was very handsome and that the more she got to know him the more she fell in love, as he was kind, gentle and honest.

Both of them can still remember the proposal at a relative's house in Malton during the fifth year of their

courtship

"You [Don] told me that your mother wanted to know when I was bringing you home permanently," she says, grinning.

Don remembers what he exactly said: "I just asked her and said, 'do you think the two of us can get along?"

She simply answered, "Yes."

Laughing, he says "That was a big mistake."

After a five-year courtship, the young couple was married on Sept. 27, 1952 in front of family and friends in the now-torn-down St. James Bond United Church in Toronto. Many were from out of town, as Don's family came from Belleville and Kingston.

"The day of the wedding I had a sore throat. The minister kept feeding me cough candies," Don says.

For their honeymoon the two went on an epic road trip that started with Niagara Falls and included Batavia where Don made a point of seeing the horse-trotting races at the track.

"We spent the night in Niagara Falls and Molly kept going down the stairs getting me cough candies," he says.

The two eventually went to New York City, Montreal, Belleville and back to Toronto.

In New York City, the couple was staying in a hotel located beside Madison Square Garden where Roy Rogers was performing. Neither wanted to pass this opportunity up.

It was a spectacle to behold, made even better by their proximity to the famous showman. They were within a few feet of him, as he made the rounds, meeting with the children during the performance. The New York City experience also included a chance to visit with the former mayor of Belleville, Harry Rollins, which surprised Don.

The Freemans raised their two children Gary and Nancy in Richmond Hill.

Their next door neighbours in Richmond Hill brought them to discover Haliburton County, as they had a regular invite to the Ingoldsby cottage on weekends before they bought their own place there in 1971

Their neighbours alerted them to a possible cottage next door owned by the Jenkins' sisters, possibly up for sale. Molly said they completed the sale over the telephone, knowing what the cottage already looked like. They eventually sold it in 1993.

Subsequently, the Freemans

moved to their Harburn Road home (where they are now) because of the extra space to have ponies, their other loves.

Last year saw the last of the ponies, but the couple still lives on Harburn Road.

They now have two grown grandchildren, Brittany and Trevor, who was married last June. This coming June Trevor and his wife are expecting to bring the Freemans their first great grandchild.

Sure, the details over the decades may not all be perfectly recalled, but the sincerity of the feelings shared between the two is palpable and it is undeniable that this strength between them will never be forgotten for those that have felt its warmth.

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# Sports

# Hawks hold down top spot in Kawartha

**Darren Lum** Staff reporter

When the dust settled it was easy to excuse anyone who thought the hockey game between the visiting Holy Cross Catholic Secondary School Hurricanes and the Red Hawks hockey team was a Valentine's massacre.

For the most part last week's hockey game lived up to the pre-game hype, as the two best teams (both undefeated) in Kawartha traded proverbial (and literal) punches right up to the second period at the Dysart Arena on Wednesday, Feb. 8.

The partisan crowd was given ample opportunity to cheer and gasp, as the pair

of teams had their share of scoring chances through the first half of the game. The rest of the game the table tilted in favour of the home side, which strung together five goals to one visitor's goal.

By the end of the second, the Haliburton Highlands Secondary School boys' hockey team showed they were the top contenders and netted a 7–2 win.

Red Hawks coach Ron Yake, who was surprised by the score, said it was for the most part a two-goal game. The difference was in composure and discipline, he said.

"Our guys were disciplined. They played hard. They took some penalties that they deserved, but they didn't take retaliatory penalties. I think that's what their team, did

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Darren Lum Echo staff

Red Hawks defenceman Chris Hall, centre in white, shields off a Holy Cross Catholic Secondary School Hurricanes player during the second period at the Dysart Area on Wednesday, Feb. 8. Haliburton remains undefeated with the 7–2 win in a close checking game





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Red Hawks forward Ryan Hunter battles for a loose puck with Holy Cross Catholic Secondary School player Derek Howes.





















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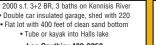
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Red Hawks player Aaron Hillier skates through the neutral zone, looking to evade his check during at the Dysart Arena on Wednesday, Feb. 8.



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# Depth and balance gives Hawks edge in battle of best

as they took some retaliatory penalties and lost their focus a bit," Yake said. "With that said, I felt we did a good job. Our guys came out ready to play and I thought we had a good game."

He adds the team's balance, depth of three strong, quick lines and relentlessness helped to wear out the opposition.

The key is that all three lines make sure they play well in their own end and make sure they're in a position to backcheck and that's what we always work on," he said.

The team, like any hockey team, wasn't perfect, but made fewer mistakes. They continue to improve, he said.

Red Hawks forward Nate Feir, who proved to be a constant presence in front of the Hurricanes net, tallied the eventual game winner at 2:15 of the second period.

It was all but over when a short-handed goal by Red Hawks centre Brett Yake all but ended any chance of a comeback by the Hurricanes. Down two players, Yake picked up an errant pass in the middle of the ice and finished off the chance with a goal. It put Haliburton up by three goals (4-1) before the Hurricanes could quickly counter with a power play goal by Kyle Poast seconds later.

Red Hawks goalie Andy Elia was solid when called upon, but Hurricanes' goalie Aaron Poast made many highlight reel

saves to keep his team in the game for the better part of the game before the floodgates opened.

Coach Yake said he was happy the team had plenty of scoring chances five-on-five and on the power play

Coming into the game both teams shared top spot in the Kawartha Boys High School Hockey League.

Both teams entered play with winning streaks, as the Red Hawks hockey team had just beat the Norwood District High School Knights (4 –1, Jan. 18) while the Hurricanes came off a (6-1, Jan. 16) victory over Adam Scott Collegiate Vocational Institute.

The Red Hawks remain perfect (10-0) and lead the league in goals (71) and goals against (13) in that span. The Hurricanes are second with the lone loss (8-1).

Yake, who leads the league with 29 points (16 goals and 13 assists), finished with two goals in the game while teammate Feir finished with three points (one goal and two assists). Ryan Hunter and Aaron Hillier both finished with a goal and an assist. Zach Boice and Chad LaRue each tallied a goal while defenceman Chris Hall ended the game with two assists.

Note: Feir (16 points), Hunter (17 points) and Hillier (17 points) are all in the top 10 for league scoring. Jordan Howe, who was held pointless in this game, is fourth in the league (20 points).



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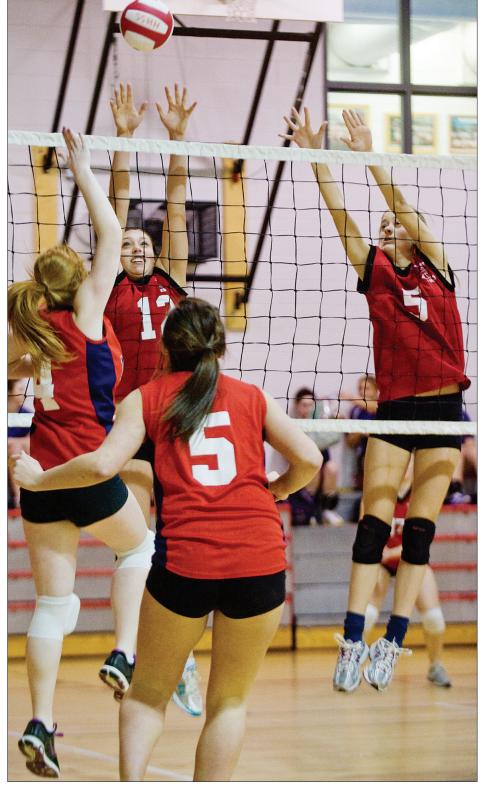


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# Leaping shy of victory



Clockwise, from far left, Red Hawks player Jessica Bishop leaps, leaning back to get a hit over the net; Red Hawks players Jessica Rider, left, and Brigitta Hicks jump to get their hands on a ball at the net; and Red Hawks player Sarah Comer sends a pass to her setter, as teammate Jaimie Dack looks on during a match against the Lindsay Collegiate Vocational Institute Spartans on Wednesday, Feb. 8. Haliburton was edged out

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# **Pottier** rink grows from Gore **B** final

**Darren Lum** Staff reporter

The Red Hawks girls' curling team are taking great strides after a competitive finish at the Gore Ontario School Curling Championships for Region 2 held in Toronto at the Granite Curling Club on Feb. 4 and 5.

It was just a matter of inches, as Haliburton lost in the B-side championship 6 - 4 to I.E. Weldon on the last rock in the last end on Sunday.

"Sunday's game against I.E. Weldon was extremely well matched with a single point per end keeping the score close throughout a very tense game," Michele Shapeira, school advisor, said. "The play down to the last rock in the eighth end with Haliburton losing by less than six inches. This was an extremely well played game, and Haliburton coaches were impressed with the good



Scotty Boyd (coach), left, Jane Boyd, Michele Shapiera (HHSS staff advisor), Laura Pottier (skip), Sydney David (lead), Alex Casper (vice), Emily Shapiera (second), and Holly Broderick (lead/spare) were all proud of being B side Championship finalist in the Gore Ontario School Curling Championship Regionals (Region 2) at the Granite Curling Club in Toronto earlier this month. Absent for the photo is Kathy Hutson. Photo submitted

sportsmanship the girls demonstrated under pressure.

Another faculty advisor, Kathy Hutson, spoke on the phone, relaying the quotes from the curling team, as they drove to the Kawartha Championships last week.

"The team was excited to make the B final and felt the caliber of field can only help to prepare them for the Kawartha finals," she said.

Being competitive with these strong

teams was a highlight for this team intent on winning Kawartha this year, she adds.

Skip Laura Pottier told Hutson she feels her game calling from that weekend has prepared her well for the Kawartha competition, including an improvement to employing strategies.

In the last practice, Hutson said, the team focused on sweeping technique to prepare for Kawartha. The team was satisfied with their ability to stay focused and positive during the entire competition.

The team that is coached by Scotty Boyd and also assisted by Jane Boyd from the Minden Curling Club played four games in the event that included 16 high schools Peterborough's St. Peter's Secondary School, and schools from Toronto and York Region.

The team, which won its first game 7-3 against the St. Peter's Secondary School at the Kawartha Finals on Thursday, Feb. 9, will play two more games in the Kawartha Finals hosted in Lindsay on Feb. 15.

### Road to B final Saturday Feb. 4 Game one

Haliburton beat Markham District High School in seven ends, 9-4. They exhibited strong focused play throughout by the whole team.

#### **Game Two**

Against Loretto Abbey Catholic Secondary School Haliburton took three points in the second end and maintained the lead throughout the rest of the game. Haliburton won 8-4.

#### Game three

Haliburton played an intense game against Newmarket High School, who went on to win the entire event in the A final. Both teams had very few technical errors. Newmarket took three important points in the sixth end, which led to a Haliburton 8-

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# Ballers take it in overtime

Judi Paul's class Special to the Echo

The following are Hailburton Highlands Secondary School sports briefs for the past week, including the weekend of Feb. 4-5.

#### **Monday annoucements**

The senior boys' basketball team travelled to Bracebridge to compete in a competitive eight-team tournament. The Hawks were defeated in their first game against Lockerby of Sudbury, then lost a close 49 -41 game against Bracebridge Muskoka Lakes Secondary School. In the third game

with clutch free throws by Louis Ferracuti, Dylan Smith, and Damon Flatma, Haliburton pushed the game into overtime, where they won 47-39.

#### **Thursday** annoucements

The senior Boys' basketball team travelled to Adam Scott (No. 1 team in Peter-

borough) where they were defeated 55-42.

#### Friday announcements

The Red Hawks varsity girls' hockey team tied the Adam Scott Lions 4-4. Goals came from Megan Allore, Kate Denniston, and



Blake Paton Special to the Echo

The Haliburton Highlands Secondary School Nordic team, Christine Darlington, left, Brigitta Hicks, McKenzie Hill and Jillian Mayhew at the Kawartha Nordic Championships on Feb. 8. Mayhew led the way with a third place in the senior girls' division.

# Nordic Hawks qualify for COSSA

The Haliburton Highlands Secondary School Nordic team travelled to the Kawartha Nordic Championships near Woodview on Feb. 8.

Four senior girls raced in icy fast conditions in the first race of the year after the usual pre-qualifying races had been cancelled due to weather or scheduling problems.

This race included public schools and private schools, however, they will qualify separately for the Ontario Federation of School Athletic Association championships.

Jillian Mayhew skied as a novice last year and this year had to ski as a senior girl. This race was the longest race distance she'd ever completed.

She posted the best result on the team, third in a field of 17 competitors.

Brigitta Hicks was racing for the first time, and could have skied as a novice, but held her own on the senior's course placing seventh.

Veteran Christine Darlington was only two seconds behind Hicks, and McKenzie Hill rounded out the team effort. The girls were unable to stay to race in the relay division. Next week is the Central Ontario Secondary School Athletics championships (and the Conference of Independent Schools Athletic Association) will be held in Haliburton at Glebe Park on Wednesday, Feb. 15 and

all four girls hope to repeat their achievements.

- submitted by HHSS coach, Jennifer Paton

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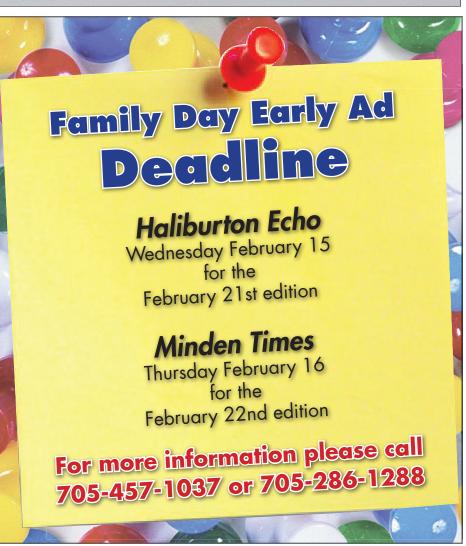
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#### **Carvers shred**

The Kawartha Snowboard Championship was hosted at Sir Sam's on Friday, Feb. 10. There were approximately 50 racers that competed for the Haliburton **Highlands Secondary** School, Fenelon **Falls Secondary** School and Lindsay Collegiate Vocational Institute. The COSSA Snowboard Championships is at Sir Sam's on Friday, Feb. 17. Photos submitted by Chris Bishop





# Successful series for Highland Storm Peewee AE

The Peewee AE team took the first series in three straight wins. The third game was played in Haliburton on Saturday, Feb. 11 against Oshawa.

The first period started out with both teams working hard to dominate and ending it tied at 1-1. The Storm's goal was unassisted by Jon Morrison.

The momentum grew in the second period as the Storm found the net scoring three more goals.

The constant rushes achieved Mitch Billings, Ben Schmidt and Jon Morrison the goals, with assists by Trevor Turner and Ryan Prentice.

It continued into the third period as the Storm took control of the game with some awesome passes and another three goals to end the game 7-1.

Hats off to Ben Schmidt for two of the goals giving him a hat-trick, the other goal went to Alex Wilbee. The assists

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Submitted by Suzanne Haedicke

#### Storm Bantam B girls advance

The Storm Minden Car Quest Bantam B girls advanced to the second round semi-finals in their Lower Lakes Female Hockey League play-offs on Saturday night with a 3-1 victory over the West Northumberland Wild, taking the best of three series 2 to 0. E

rin Little scored mid-way through the first off a nice rush down the boards, cutting in and going "five hole" on the tender.

Sydney Feir put the Storm up 2-0 late in the first with a nice wrister past the Wild goalie.

A scoreless second period was followed with an opening draw face-off goal to start the third period by the Wild center... taking the face-off and making a move to beat the "D" and then going high glove on the Storm tender.

Cassidy Garbutt solidified the win with a patient rush late in the third period with the Wild goalie pulled, hitting the empty net from center. Great win girls.

Stay game ready as we get the games scheduled to take on Whitby in round two.

Submitted by Dan Marsden

#### fabricated on site **Highland Storm Peewee As lose**

Dr. Ed Smolen Family Dentistry Peewee As, started the OMHA semi finals on Saturday, Feb. 11 against the Centre Hastings Grizzlies, a team they had met at several regular season tournaments.

The Storm seemed to be outplaying and skating the Grizzlies on Saturday but the scoreboard showed a different story, no matter how hard the boys tried the puck was iust not their friend.

The Grizzlies scored first and by the end of the second period it was 4-1 for them, our goal was scored by Chris Thompson, I think it was assisted by Josh Boice. Everyone

continued to play hard and the Storm managed one more goal by Max MacNaull, but we ended up losing 5-2.

The second game was Sunday, Feb. 12 in Marmora. Hopes were high as these teams are equally matched but it proved to be a similar game to Saturdays.

With a great surge of effort and harder work in the third period the Storm boys managed two goals but were unable to tie or win the game.

It was a loss of 3-2 with our goals going to Chris Thompson, possibly assisted by Chase Burden and the second goal was by Chase Burden. I am unsure who assisted him. Our next game is Saturday, Feb. 18 at 5 p.m. in Halibur-

Please come out and cheer these boys on. They have worked hard to get where they are, and a little encourgement goes a long way. Thanks for your support.

Submitted by Karena Crofts

#### Atom As start quarter finals

Saturday begins our battle against Center Hastings in Minden, and turns out to be a bit of a disappointment for

With a few quick goals scored on us, in the first few minutes of the game, we rallied back and managed to tie up the game, and get one more to put us up by a goal, all in the first period.

The boys did a great job skating and keeping up to them. Battling hard in front of the net, trying hard to keep us in the game, but unfortunately, their attempts at that weren't answered and we lost our first game of the week-

Sunday we travelled to Marmora, to play game two of the series, in hopes to tie up the standings at a game a piece, but that is unfortunately not the case. We are down two games to zero. We certainly have our work cut out for us this weekend coming.

Scoring our goals this weekend were Luke Hunter (3), Shawn Walker (2), Owen Gilbert (1). Good luck next weekend, here's hoping we can turn this series around in our favour. Come out Saturday at 3:30 to help cheer on the boys in Haliburton.

Submitted by Joanne Sisson

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Oshawa Community Health Centre's Liver Health and Hepatitis C Team will be holding a series of 4 information sessions (in the order below) from Noon to 1pm every first and third Friday in February and March.

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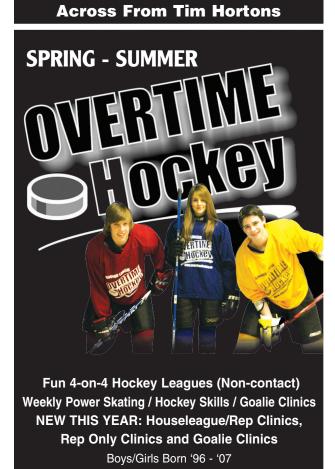
Dusk Dances Haliburton is seeking two site-specific dance pieces created by choreographers or groups from the Haliburton County area for the 2012 program. We are looking for one piece that involves local young people and one that involves community members of varying ages. A professional fee will be paid to the choreographer or group for the development, creation and mounting of the performance piece at Head Lake Park in Haliburton, July 19th to July 22nd, 2012.

We are also seeking a local band or musical group that can attract an audience of all ages to perform as the opening act for Dusk Dances. A professional fee will be paid for four ½ hour performances July 19th to July 22nd, 2012.

Deadline for submissions: February 29, 2012

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# Bantam AEs anxious to move on in the OMHA playdowns

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#### **Bantam AEs eliminate Georgian Shores**

The Georgian Shores Lightning came to Haliburton on Saturday to face the Dave's Landscaping/McKee Security Bantam AE Storm.

With the Storm leading the best of five series two games to none they were anxious to finish off the Lightning and move on in the OMHA playdowns.

After a scoreless first period the Storm opened the scoring at 13:15 of the second period with Josh Rowden finishing off a Lucas Essen set up from in close.

The Lightning tied the game at 11:16 on a power play. Less than a minute later Hunter Bishop put the Storm ahead once more with a great solo effort as he won the face off, moved in, and beat the goalie up high on the short side.

Essen gave the Storm some breathing room when he scored after a nice play by Bishop to put them up 3-1. Bishop tallied his second and made it game, set and series when he was sent in alone after a couple of good passes from Kyle Lavergne and Brenden McKee.

Goal keepers Austin McKay and Cole Finlay were undefeated in the series.

The Storm now wait to see who they will face in the next

Submitted by Doug Sullivan

#### **Highland Storm Atom AE team** eliminated in two close games

The Highland Storm Atom AE team was defeated in two close games in Minden by Georgian Shores on the weekend eliminating Storm from the playoffs. The first game on Saturday saw the Storm team down 3-0 at the beginning of the third period.

The team then battled back with goals by Carter Bull and Will Petrie. Goalie Jaxson Campbell kept making outstanding saves to stop the Georgian Shores attack.

Miki Bukta finally scored the tying goal with less than three minutes remaining sending the game to overtime. Overtime saw a number of chances for both sides but the Georgian Shores team finally scored on the power play to get the 4-3 win.

The second game saw the Storm team open the scoring with a goal by Braden Robinson in the first period.

Georgian Shores scored two in the second period and a third at the beginning of the third period and again Highland Storm fought back.

With goalie Jaxson Campbell pulled from the net Nigel Smith managed to score Storm's second goal with under a minute left. The tying goal was not to be as Georgian Shores scored an empty net goal for a 4-2 win.

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Submitted by Larry Bukta

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# Students get military visit

J. Douglas Hodgson Elementary School students got the opportunity to pose questions to the visiting soldiers of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, which is an armoured reconnaissance regiment, who also showcased their hockey playing skills in a hockey game against the Ontario Provincial Police at the Dysart Arena Thursday, Feb. 9.

The idea for this event came from OPP Sgt. Matthew Stoner, shift supervisor, who recognized how much the area children responded to the Canadian forces when they visited the area for military manoeuvres last summer.

#### **Photos by Darren Lum**



A J.Douglas Hodgson Elementary School student raises his hand to ask a soldier of the Royal Canadian Dragoons regiment a question during a visit at the school.



Capt. Rich Layden, far right, speaks to J.Douglas Hodgson Elementary School students during a visit by the Royal Canadian Dragoons regiment on Thursday, Feb. 9. The military gave a presentation and provided opportunities for questions by the students. They followed the presentation with a hockey game.

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Left, Capt. Rich Layden laughs after showing J.Douglas Hodgson Elementary School students his "knee high" socks during a visit by the **Royal Canadian Dragoons** regiment from Petawawa.

Below, Master Cpl. Sean Chapman, who is a crew commander for the Royal Canadian Dragoons based in Petawawa, shows J. Douglas Hodgson Elementary School students how to march at the conclusion of the military's visit.

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#### Sweater day

**Darren Lum** Staff

Stuart Baker Elementary School students in Haliburton were putting their best sweaters forward in recognition of the first National Sweater Day, as organized by the World Wildlife Fund Canada on Friday, Feb. 10.

# LHIN names new care leads

The Central East LHIN took another major step in strengthening and further integrating primary care into local health planning by naming Dr. Christopher Jyu and Dr. Robert Drury as the Primary Care Leads for the Central East LHIN.

Dr. Jyu will be the primary care lead for the LHIN's Scarborough Cluster and Dr. Drury will be the Primary care lead for the Durham and North East (Northumberland County, Peterborough City and County, City of Kawartha Lakes, Haliburton County) Clusters. Dr. Drury, a Lindsay-based family physician with over 35 years of experience practising across Canada including Northern Ontario, British Columbia and Prince Edward Island, and Dr. Jyu, a Scarboroughbased family physician who led the development of the first after-hours clinic in the Scarborough community, will work with the Central East LHIN to ensure that primary care services are better integrated with the work of other health sectors.

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#### Junior Book of the Week: Junior **Fiction Title**

Making Bombs For Hitler by Marsha Forchuk Skrypuch In Stolen Child, an acclaimed novel by Canadian author Marsha Forchuk Skrypuch, young readers were introduced to Larissa, a victim of Hitler's largely unknown Lebensborn program. In this companion novel, Making Bombs For Hit-

ler, readers will learn the fate of Lida, her sister, who was also kidnapped by the Germans and forced into slave labour. Lida is put to work making bombs, but when rumours arise of the Allies turning the tide in the war, she and her friends will conspire to sabotage the bombs to help block the Nazis' war effort. Like Stolen Child, this novel is both a gripping page turner and an inspiring history lesson.

#### **Local Celebrity Read:**

Becky Ridsdale, Grade 12 student at HHSS, is currently re-



reading *The Hunger Games* by Suzanne Collins in anticipation of the movie adaptation coming soon to theatres. "I'm really excited about the movie," says Ridsdale. "I want my friend to drive me down to a theatre to see it the day it opens."

Ridsdale has read the entire Hunger series and decided to re-read the popular YA (teen) novels because she knew

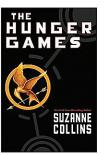
it was a sure thing that she would enjoy them a second time. "I knew I'd enjoy them again and I wanted to make sure I didn't miss anything," she says.

The Hunger Games is a dystopian novel that follows a group of teens as they are forced to battle to the death in an arena, a yearly event which is televised and broadcasted live across their nation. Ridsdale enjoys the series because "the

characters are believable even though the story is unbelievable. Even though I am not living their lives, I feel like I could be."

Ridsdale is a fan of dystopian literature, saying that she reads it the most out of any genre or sub-genre. She also mentions that she enjoyed The Last Sur*vivor* series, the same series with which our last week's "celebrity reader" chose

her featured read, This World We Live



#### **News & Events:**

Frost Festival Fun at your library! We invite kids to come visit the "Bird Cafe" at the Dysart branch in Haliburton Village on Saturday, Feb. 18, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. There will be bird feeding crafts, winter bird coloring pictures, fact sheets, bird feed recipes and a scavenger hunt!

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First Tapping has become a tradition in Central Ontario, moving from sugar bush to sugar bush in Kawartha Lakes, Peterborough and Haliburton counties and Durham Region. In 2011, it was at Bobcaygeon.

Though the date of spring's first sap run is unpredictable, First Tapping is scheduled just before it is likely to begin so that members of the Haliburton-Kawartha Maple Syrup Producers Association can get away from their bushes to share in the celebration.

Of course, you don't have to be a member to take part in the festivities, which are simple enough. The event is open to the public.

Fans of maple gather at Harlaine Maple at 10:30 a.m. and take a short walk to the sugar bush where local dignitaries will be handed an old-fashioned brace and bit, a spile, a sap bucket and a hammer and set to work.

A brief tour of the sugar shack and then light refreshments follow.

The Harder farm is at S1015 Brock Road 1, about a kilometre west of Highway 7 and 12. Brock Road 1 meets the highway south of Blackwater and north of Saintfield. Large green barns mark the site.

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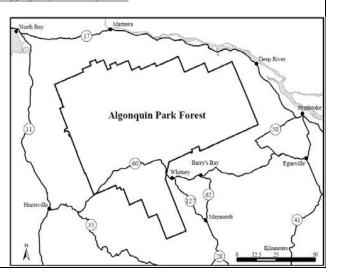
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Algonquin Forestry Authority 84 Isabella Street Pembroke, Ontario K8A 5S5 (613) 735-0173

All correspondence is confidential.



# Distracted driving victim's family helps OPP reach out to Ontario drivers

From February 13-19, 2012, the OPP will be conducting highly-visible enforcement of distracted driving laws in an effort to protect drivers, their passengers and other roads users from the needless loss of life on our roads.

The OPP is also warning drivers that any activity that takes your attention away from driving is dangerous. This isn't just about using a phone or texting while driving. Even day dreaming can create a situation where the driver misses something important which results in a bad decision behind the wheel.

'We're only five weeks into the new year and eight people have died already in distraction-related collisions on OPP patrolled roads and that's more than impaired driving and speeding fatalities combined," said Chief Superintendent Don Bell, Commander of the OPP Highway Safety Division. "Whether you're texting, talking, reading or shaving, a diversion - any diversion of attention that lowers one's ability to focus on driving can happen and within seconds, someone else could die," added Bell.

Sydney and Suzanne Soulière are far too familiar with the dangers of distracted driving. Sadly, they lost their 18 year-old son Damon in a distracted driving incident on May 28, 2011. Damon was on his way home from North Bay when he began texting while driving. His vehicle crossed the centre line, collided with a tractor-trailor and Damon died as a result of the collision.

"For the love of our son and his accomplishments, please don't be distracted and drive - no more excuses! We know it kills or injures and you're risking your life and the lives of others on the road. We hope the death of our son and those who have died, young and old, due to distracted driving show you that it's not worth it. Believe us, it's not. Our son was going into the Armed Forces to serve his country and help people. He was a good boy who made a mistake and now, getting the message out about the dangers of distracted driving is the only way he can

The Soulieres invite the media and public to check out Damon's Facebook page to see him as an 18 year-old captain of his high school rugby team and a Canadian Forces soldier who would have been finishing his first year of university.

The Souliere family is one of many families to whom the OPP has made next-of-kin notifications following fatal distracted driving incidents in Ontario. They know firsthand that a distracted driving collision is the last thing these families imagine losing a loved one to and they are relying on every single driver in Ontario to help put an end to these tragic deaths.

Using a cell phone or device capable of texting while driving can result in a fine of \$155 under Section 78.1 of the HTA. Just watching an entertainment device (like a movie on your tablet) can result in a fine of \$110 under Section 78 of the HTA. Other forms of distracted driving can result in a charge of Careless Driving with fines ranging from \$400 to \$2,000, a possible licence suspension of up to two years and/or a jail term of not more than six months depending on the circumstances.

The OPP's Distracted Driving campaign serves to heighten awareness and ultimately reduce collisions, but the OPP is reminding motorists that enforcement of distraction legislation is a priority every day. Every driver has the responsibility to become part of the solution.

## Coming Events

**BASIC CONCEPTS ON** 

## **HEALTH & PROPER EATING HABITS**

By Amanda Vollmer BSC., **Independent Naturopath** 

Feb 18th 12:00 - 1:00 pm

### at Marty's Health Foods

13523 Hwy 118 W behind Haliburton Funeral Home Space is Limited RSVP 705-457-3216

**ACHS Presents** its first

**USED HOCKEY EQUIPMENT SALE AND EXCHANGE AS** WELL AS A COLLECTABLE CARD TRADING SHOW FOR KIDS

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**ADMISSION IS** FREE!

For more information please

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Lee-Anne Goodall took this photo of deer in her yard on Redstone River.



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**Time:** 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Category: Lake Trout/Walleye/Whitefish 4th, 5th place

Cost: \$20.00 per person

All Participants must sign-in prior to fishing. Registration from 7:00 AM to 11:00 AM at the Town Dock - Haliburton.

Final Weigh-in at 4:00 PM

For more information call: Hatchery: 705-457-9664

This is family day weekend and a license is not needed as it is a free fishing weekend. MNR rules apply.

# **Congratulations to Barrie Martin**

### **West Guilford**

Eleanor Cooper

From early on Friday, Feb. 10 till late in the night traffic at the foot of the hill just near Scott Welch's place had to be re-routed due to the accident of the truck carrying lumber. Fortunately Green Lake Road was an option that took care of the people coming and going between Airport Road and Steven's Corner ie: County Road 6.

Congratulations to Barrie Martin, newly appointed to Ontario Biodiversity Council. Barrie's achievements in environmental concerns include the initiation and maintenance of Yours Outdoors and avid enthusiast of the natural world in which he lives.

On Feb. 18 a fundraising concert is being held at Maple Lake United Church.

This informal event includes local talent, singing, vocal, instrumental perhaps recitation and just lots of fun at what has become a post-Valentine's Day concert.

Of course there's always the food afterwards which

gives more time to visit and offer appreciation to the performers. One number includes Consider Yourself from the musical Oliver sung by the Rev. Max Ward, Jim Burk, Christopher Chumbley, Wayne Cooper, Alex Kocot and Bill Gliddon. Donations at the door go to the general expenses of the church.

Snowshuffle happens on Feb. 25 with registration at the centre in the morning, the poker run following and dinner back at the centre.

If you care to consider the suggestion of heading up the Canada Day team to organize the event. Keep in mind it can be done by a couple. Tanya Sisson or Carol Stamp 705-754-2168 can supply what you need to know to get started.

Last weekend we had the pleasure of watching our grandson, Philip Cooper, on stage at the Orillia Opera House as Ben in *Learing Home* by David French.

Euchre on Feb. 7 resulted in the following; high- Liz Jesseman and Ron Bain, low- Tina Hadley and Perry Morrison, most lone hands: Myra Marshall and Hank van



**Check out our** website and photo gallery

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# Coming Events



Municipality of Dysart et al

Celebrate Family Day!

## **FREE Public Skating**



Monday, February 20, 2012 11:00am-12:30pm

For more details call Ray at the Dysart Arena 457-2083. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

# community What's happening in the County



Post your event for free on the web. Go to: www.mindentimes.ca or R Halibuton Highlands Community Calendar link at: www.haliburtonecho.ca

Youth Unlimited is offering an after school program, at A.S.E.S starting Jan 31 for grades 6, 7, 8 for 6 weeks, in the school library from 3:30-5:30pm for fun games, activities, talk time & a healthy snacks. Registration forms available at school or online at www.youthunlimitedkaw.com or call 705-854-0401

Jan 15-March 4th The Canadian Association for Disabled Skiing (CADS) will run a low cost Sunday programme for children and adults who have any form of disability, ie. physical, social, visible. Age is no problem. A pre-programme registration is required. Our 2012 programme begins at Sir Sams January 15th at 9:30am. and concluded by 3pm. or when the student shows signs of fatigue. Volunteers with average skiing ability are welcome to participate in the programme. For more information call Terry Maher 705-457-9604

Feb 14, 21, & 28 Yoga at the Library with Linda Shadbolt from 4-5p, in the Howard Roberts Room Admission by donation to the Friends of the Haliburton County Public Library

Feb 8: The Haliburton Highlands Quilt Guild will meet at 1 pm at Stanhope Community Centre. Jan Anderson, an Osteopath, will instruct on how to prevent and treat chronic and acute injuries as they apply to sewing and quilting. Bring running shoes, comfortable clothes, a pen & paper and participate. Call Pat Stiver at (705) 489-3751 for information.

Feb 11: Lochlin community Centre Spaghetti Dinner served with meat sauce, salad, roll and dessert. Adults \$10 Children 12 & under \$6 Children 4 and under FREE. For reservations call Leitha @ 705-286-1398 or Helen 705-286-6087 Seatings available for 4:30 or 5:45

Feb 11: Tall Pines Snowmobile Club Poker Rally for more information visit www.tallpines.org

Feb 18: Musical Variety Concert at Maple Lake United Church at 7p.m. All Welcome Good will donation offerings Refreshments after

Feb 20: FREE Public Skate 11am-12:30pm for more information call Ray at the Dysart Arena 705-457-2083

Feb 25: Royal Canadian Legion, Haliburton, Youth Public Speaking Competition. Parents, family and the public are invited to attend the annual Public Speaking Competition at the Legion Hall, commencing at 1.00 PM on Saturday February 25th 2012, when students from all grades will compete by making short presentations of their choice. This is an enjoyable experience for all. Please support our youth in Haliburton

- Haliburton Highlands Hand Weavers & Spinners Guild meet at the Zion United Church, Carnarvon on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 1:30pm For more information call Marian Gillanders at 705-489-3574
- TOASTMASTERS meet at the Minden United Church Wednesdays at 7pm Everyone Welcome ages 18 80. What is TOASTMASTERS ? Visit www.toastmasters.org
- Royal Canadian Legion Minden Branch 636 will be hosting a musical performance by The Kellett Family on Saturday, March 3 from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.. The afternoon includes 'Open Mic' time for anyone that want to take the stage and there will be meat draws with tickets purchased at the event. The public is invited to join us at the intersection of Hwy #35 and County Road #21.
- The Royal Canadian Legion Minden Branch 636 is looking for volunteers to help out in the branch kitchen. If you can spare a few hours each week to help the Legion continue their support to the community and the membership please call the branch at 705-286-4541. It will be much appreciated.
- SCENE/SEEN in Haliburton: Rails End Gallery Members' Salon Exhibition Enjoy the "Haliburton scene" and check out this group exhibition in the salon style. Cast your vote for the Peoples Choice Award and see work by over 50 talented local artists in a wide range of media. Gallery hours Wed – Sat 11-5 23 York St. Haliburton Village
- Help to Preserve our History with a veterans museum Wanted: British, Canadian or German WWI and WWII items Uniforms, helmets and caps and metals, photographs, shells and weapons Please do not donate money. Items broken or in part are welcome. Contact Martin Hofland at 705-457-2382

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Please submit events by the Wednesday prior to the requested publication date. NOTE: This calendar is not a comprehensive listing of all events taking place in the area. Please check the classified pages, display advertising and articles appearing elsewhere in the Echo for more information on events in the Highlands. For more Ongoing Community Events please see the Weekender.

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# Still no gasoline in Wilberforce

### **Wilberforce**

Hilda Clark

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There was a time when every village had one or even two service stations where gasoline and many other services were available. Gradually with so many technical changes about all it did was provide gasoline. Alas, that too has changed. There is no gasoline available in Wilberforce, Gooderham or Kinmount. Forget to check the gauge and it's an extra trip to Harcourt and back to have enough gas to get to an appointment in Haliburton or to get as far as Flynn's Corners if a trip to Peterborough is necessary. Not a good draw when snowmobilers discover they will have to double back to Harcourt which they just visited in order to get fuel to finish a tour home to Bobcaygeon.

Why are we not rising up against the big oil companies which won't deliver to stations who don't have and likely can't afford huge new tanks? Can't take a full load then we don't deliver. And



#### **Township of Algonquin** Highlands requires an

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- Strong computer skills.

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Applicants must indicate how they meet the minimum qualifications in their resume. We thank all applicants; however only those selected for an interview will be contacted

Please submit your resume in confidence marked "Operations Manager Application" by

3:00 p.m. on Friday, March 9th, 2012 to:

Angie Bird, C.A.O Township of Algonquin Highlands 1123 North Shore Road, Algonquin Highlands, Ontario, K0M 1J1 Email – <u>abird@algonquinhighlands.ca</u>
Visit our website at <u>www.algonquinhighlands.ca</u>

we can't go to China to fill up with gas in Wilberforce. So much for not wasting fossil fuel and trying to help save the environ-

It's often a challenge to make sure a loved one celebrates a special occasion in a special way. Well, Frank Matys was up to the challenge when planning for his wife Theresa's recent birthday. It was a special one and he wanted to surprise her with a special gathering. Neighbours Marian and Bill Lawrence willingly collaborated in secret letting him host the party at their place on Sunday, Feb. 12. Until Frank handed her an invitation in the car on the short ride over, Theresa thought they were picking up the Lawrences to go out for dinner.

Instead she was greeted by lots of friends including her priest and many from her church where she is the organist. Refreshments and birthday cake were delicious and the the birthday greetings warm. Best wishes for many more happy birthdays,

The Wilberforce Curling Club was the scene of some fine curling and much fun socializing as 10 teams competed for the Don Fevreau Trophy on Friday evening and Saturday, Feb. 10 and 11. Of the 40 women participating in this ever popular Valentine Bonspiel some were experienced curlers, others were fairly new at the game. All were enthusiastic. They all knew the joy of making good plays and the sinking feeling of some missed shots. None were more joyful than the winners of this bonspiel. The team of Marsha Sweet (skip), Joann Bugg, Shelley Roberts and Theresa Smith won all three of their games with a total score of 50 points. And these women who usually play as leads in regular

games had some very experienced players as competition. This surely does encourage newcomers to the game.

In second place was the team of Andrea Donaldson, Abby Cadieuw, Audrey McMartin and Brenda Fearry with 45.5 points. In third place was Lynn Waugh's team of Jacki Wanninkhop, Sheri Siebarth and Roberta Logan with 39.75 points. All of the participants won prizes. Major sponsors Curry Motors and Haliburton Lumber were again generous supporters.

Many assisted in making this event a success. The club appreciates the work of all who were involved in any way in this bonspiel, those who contribute in any way and especially the curlers who took part. Thanks to Donna Fevreau-Valeriati of New Market for arranging the attendance of three teams and bringing greetings. Appreciation is extended to: convenor Doug Stephen, scorer Sally Stirling, bar and ticket men Joe Martinek and Ron Roberts, providers of sandwiches and soup for lunch, and helpers for lunch and dinner. Several fine items were generously donated for draws. Thanks to Chris Stickland for two super paintings and to Rosie Hozjan and Doug and Gill Stephen for their donations. The winners were pleased.

The evening meal, arranged by club co-president Tammy Vaughan, was very much enjoyed. The barbecue chicken and salads brought many compliments. Tammy and Nelly McDonald contributed two of the delicious salads. And the dessert was decorated beautifully by Tammy in the Valentine theme and very tasty too. Congratulations Tammy, on the menu and for all your efforts for the club in general.

A very good event that also celebrated several birthdays.

# Come have a fun day fishing



# Legion br. 624

Jan Simon PRO

Weekly Events Feb. 13 - Feb. 19 Monday Wednesday Darts Friday

Bid Euchre Pool Jam Session

7 p.m. 7:30 p.m. 1:30 p.m.

7 p.m. - Everyone wel-

come to play and listen to great music Saturday Meat Draw **Upcoming Events** 

Saturday, Feb. 25 - Ken McFarlane Ice Fishing Derby - register at the Legion before close on Feb. 24 or at the Fishes Lunch Box before 10 a.m. on Feb. 25. Cost is \$15 per entrant - one fish per entry - weigh in time 3 to 6 p.m. at the Legion. Lakes - Farquhar, Wilbermere, Miskwabi, Esson and Grace. MNR rules apply. Come and have a fun day fishing. You could be the winner. Cash prizes. Watch for Retro Sundays - Branch 624 will be introducing Sunday fun at '50s prices.

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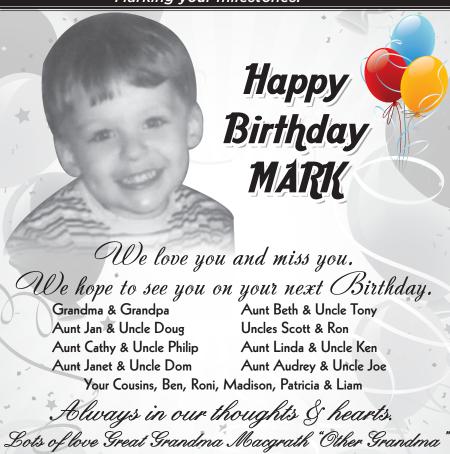
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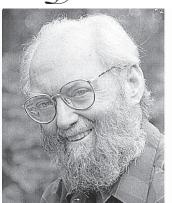
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CLARKE, Harvey Martin memory. Passed away peacefully at the Haliburton Hospital on Sunday, February 5, 2012 at the age of 82. Harvey was born in London, Ontario and will be sorely missed by his loving wife Ethel and children Kevin (deceased) (Anne), Janet (Randy), Greg (Kerry), Murray "Mic" (Donna), Sharon (Mike), and grandchildren Matthew, Taryn, Daniel, Leanne, Kelsey, Andrew, Stuart and Lindsay. Many thanks to the doctors, nurses and care providers for all there help and support. A Private Gathering was held for the immediate family members. Cremation has taken place. In lieu of flowers memorial donations can be made to the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation (H.H.H.S.F.) or to the charity of your choice and can be arranged through the GORDON A. MONK FUNERAL HOME LTD., P.O. Box 427, Minden K0M 2K0. www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com

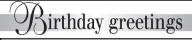
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### SPARLING, Reta Elizabeth

November 27, 1954

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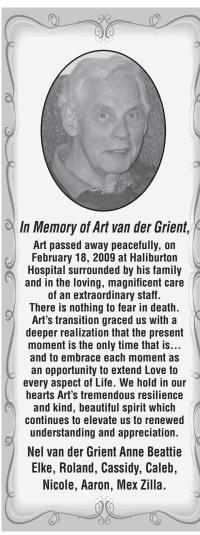




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